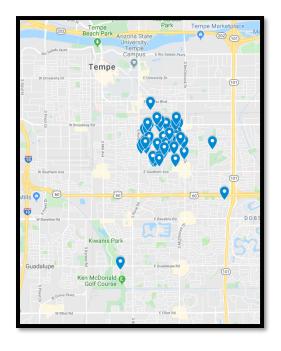


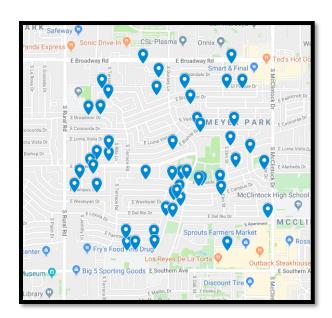
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Overview

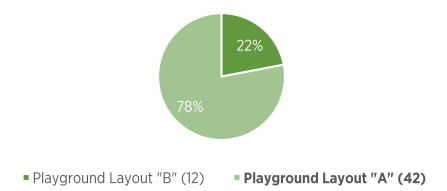
A public meeting was held on November 16, 2019 for feedback on planned improvements for Meyer Park. Residents in the area of Broadway Rd. to Southern Ave., McClintock Rd. to Rural Rd. (2527 households) were invited to participate in the process via postcard. Notices were posted to Nextdoor to 1189 households directing residents to both the meeting and the website. Signs were also placed in the park announcing the meeting. Ten people signed in for the meeting in the park. Residents were asked to provide input on playground equipment layout, shade structure locations, playground color palette and ramada roof color. Surveys were available at the meetings and online from November 16 through November 30,2019. A total of 57 survey responses were received; 7 at the meeting and 50 online, 4 from outside the project area.

Map of Survey Respondents





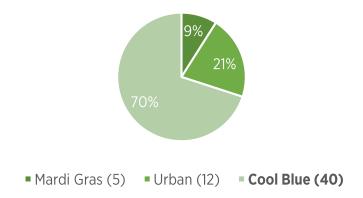
1. Which play structure design and playground equipment layout incorporating these choices do you prefer?



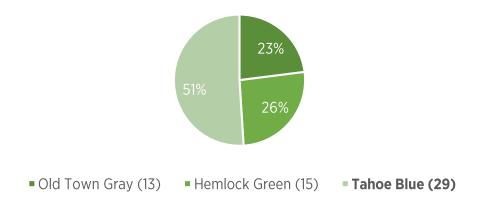
2. Two shade structures will be installed, please rank the following location options (where 1 is your most preferred choice and 3 is your last choice)

1st Choice- **Over the 2-5 play structure**, with 52% of the 1st choice vote. 2nd Choice - **Over the 5-12 play structure**, with 53% of the 2nd choice vote 3rd Choice - Over the swings, with 79% of the 3rd choice vote

3. Which color palette do you prefer for the playground?



4. During the first round of input residents chose ramadas with notched CMU block. Which color do you prefer for the ramada roof?



Additional Comments:

- 1. As a grandfather who lives in the Hughes Acres neighborhood, near Meyer Park I still recall taking my daughters to the park when they were the age of my grandchildren. I am excited for these renovations and hope to take my grandchildren to the park soon!
- 2. What is most important, IMHO, is the shade structures should cover both the playgrounds for the 2-5 play structure and the 5-12 play structure. The desert sun can be brutal.
- 3. does this mean the whole playground will not have a shade cover as it does now so when kids go from one area to the next, will be in sun? and as the sun moves, without a full shade structure a good part of the time the play areas will be in the sun even if the particular appartus has a shade over it.
- 4. Excited to see some improvements to this park! We love Meyer Park.
- 5. Great job!
- 6. I am a fitness enthusiast and I chose option A because it seems to have a pull up bar station. Parallel bars would have been nice too.
- 7. I am glad the neighborhood children and families have a place to play and be outside...just wondered where the idea of the dog park went??? There are neighbors who do not have children for playground equipment but have dogs that need a place to play and run...Thank you...
- 8. I am very happy the playground is being updated. I have always thought the playground equipment (slides) in the park were dangerous. They were there when my children were small and are still there for my grandchildren!!! So glad to say goodbye to them!
- 9. I don't understand why the sand should be replaced with a plastic floor. Sand is safe, beautiful, and children enjoy playing with it which is the point of a playground. It's also natural. Kids who play on Astro turf too much are starting to show greater risks of cancer. Why should kids have to run on plastic at a park. What is wrong with sand? The sand at Meyer park works wonderfully and encourages toddlers with their motor skills when parents bring toys or cups. Parents quite often do that.
- 10. I love the idea of a shade structure over the swings. And will the park still have drinking fountains? I love the new design for the Park!
- 11. I think it's great you are doing something for the young kids in the park. I have lived here for over 45 years and my two youngest kids went to school at Meyer,

McKemy, and McClintock. The equipment was not fun for them, other than the swings. I used to drive them to other parks that had better equipment. Props for whoever got the approval for the upgrade. I love our park and try to let park personnel know when something is going on in the park or someone destroying the equipment. Thanks to you all!!

- 12. I think the younger kids should have the shaded areas since they are more sensitive to the sun than adults
- 13. It would be nice to see the playground colors flow with the natural beauty of the park not bright and gaudy. Thank you!
- 14. Love the swings at Sellah park that are for the younger kids and also the one that has two seats together. Would love something like that at Meyer Park.
- 15. Meyer Park should really not be messed around with. It's fine the way it is. Don't take away any grassy areas!
- 16. Please add another person / pet water fountain (maybe Near the NW entrance); and replace the existing person / pet water fountain ... it does not work well.
- 17. Please have both play structures shaded! Also A combo swing for parents/infants!
- 18. Please include large shade structures like the present layout. Please include baby swings, as these are frequently utilized. Finally, please install comfortable benches for parents under the shade or shaded tree. Rubber instead of san is preferred as well.
- 19. Restrooms would be nice! Jenna likes lots of monkey bars!
- 20. Shade structure over playground needs to be at least twice as large as pictured otherwise will only cover equipment at only high noon.
- 21. So excited for these updates and being a part of the process!
- 22. Substitute 2 swing seats with infant swings.
- 23. Thank you for allowing public comments on this. I don't live in this neighborhood, but child attends the school next door and it's nice to be able to give my opinion.
- 24. Thanks for the park update initiative. It is a great effort and has revived the city parks. If budget allows Well lit area. It is really dark at the intersection of Alameda and Dorsey Lane (it is accident prone with residents crossing the street in the dark.) It would be great to add a sidewalk along the east side of the park, along with some milestones to show residents that 3 perimeter based walks is around a mile walk. Kudos to the Park Management Team
- 25. The meeting yesterday (11-16) was very informative for me.
- 26. Would be nice to have wheelchair accessible curbing on southside of the park along Alameda. The curb is completely squared off.